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GOULD TEACHERS ANNOUNCED

The Principal of Gould Academy announces the following list of teachers for the school year 1940-1941, which will open on Tuesday, Sept. 17:

Elwood F. Ireland, Headmaster and Mathematics
Carroll P. Bailey, Senior Master and Science
Miss Margery E. Bailey, Dean of Girls, and Mathematics
Clayton F. Fossett, English and Manual Arts, Coach
Orrell H. Anderson, Manual Arts and Coach
Wilbur R. Myers, Commercial Department, Coach
Miss Dorothy J. Hanscom, English and Physical Director for Girls
Miss Mary M. Soule, Speech, Dramatics, and Reading
Miss Margaret C. Lundy, Science and Mathematics
Miss Margaret F. Stevens, Home Economics
George B. Bowhay, Mathematics
Robert R. Rathbone, English and History
Miss Elizabeth Mutch, Latin
Edmond J. Vachon, French
Howard P. Chivers, English and Civics
Miss Harriett Durkee, History
Miss Ann Griggs, Music

It will be noted that there is an addition to the teaching staff in the field of Music, and a change from a man to a woman teacher in Latin and vice versa in French.

Miss Elizabeth Mutch comes to Gould with 12 years of teaching experience in the schools of Vermont where she has had remarkable success in fitting boys and girls for college work. Many of her pupils have majored in Latin in College and are now teaching the subject in that State.

Edmond Vachon has been instructor in French and Principal of Cabot High School, Cabot, Vt., since his graduating from the University of New Hampshire in 1930. He also has a Master's degree from Middlebury and for the past few years has been demonstration teacher in French in the University of Vermont Summer School. He has been awarded the Teaching Fellowship that was won in a National Competition of the American Association of Teachers of French, and was on the State committee for the revision of Modern Foreign Language Course of study. In addition to his teaching, he will be director of extra-curricular activities.

Howard Chivers comes to us from New Hampton School for Boys where he has been a teacher and supervisor of one of the boys' dormitories. He is a graduate of Dartmouth where he was Captain of their Winter Sports team and the past five years has been counselor in a boys' camp. His experience with boys should make him very helpful in taking charge of the boys' dormitory here at Gould.

He is a big, healthy gentleman, and product of a fine family; active and interested in all forms of sports and a champion in one, namely, Skiing, which he will handle here at Gould. Mr. Chivers was a member of the United States Olympic team to Chilly in 1927 and would have gone to Norway this year for the world championships if it had not been for the war.

Miss Harriett Durkee is coming to us with three years' teaching experience at Berwick Academy in South Berwick, Maine and at Norwich Free Academy in Norwich, Conn. Miss Durkee will teach American History, European History, and Civics. She majored in these courses at Bates College and was assistant in Debating at Bates for two years, and we are looking for her to carry on that work here at Gould.

Miss Ann Griggs will have charge of Music at Gould this year, full time, of our Glee Clubs, Or-

Views as Bennett's Garage Burned Last Week



The scene at the left gives an idea of the appearance of Clarence Bennett's garage at the corner of Main and Elm Streets last Thursday morning a few minutes after a gasoline explosion started a blaze which spread throughout the building. The picture was taken soon after the first streams of water struck the fire. The right hand picture shows the situation a minute later from another angle. The telephone cable which was put out of commission shows plainly and Dr. Wilson's home may be seen at the right.

GARAGE RUINS FINALLY CONSUMED BY FLAMES

The ruins of Bennett's Garage finally succumbed to flames Wednesday evening at the Corporation dump. Remnants of the burned building were pulled to the ground by trucks the first of the week and the blackened boards and timbers hauled to the dump on the river bank. This material became ignited and created a spectacular blaze far into the night, and a portion of the wreckage which was afire in the water was carried downstream by the current. Shortly before midnight it was burned nearly to the water as it passed the mouth of Alder River.

CUTS AND BRUISES RESULT OF MAYVILLE COLLISION

Cars driven by Mrs. Ethel O'Neill of Washington and Robert W. Brown of Greenville, Penna., were in collision in front of the home of Kenneth Wright in Mayville Tuesday afternoon. Cuts and bruises were received by Mrs. O'Neill, her son, Mrs. Walter Emery, and Mr. and Mrs. Brown. The front ends of both cars were damaged. State Officer John Maguire investigated.

COUNTY DEMOCRATS NAME CARVER FOR TREASURER

Irving L. Carver of Bethel was nominated as Democratic candidate for the Oxford County treasurer-ship at a caucus of delegates from the towns of the County held at the American Legion Home at Norway last Thursday evening. The caucus was made necessary by the fact that no Democratic candidate for this office was chosen at the June primaries.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tieander of New Rochelle, N. Y., are guests of her mother, Mrs. A. Van Den Kerkhoven.

chestra, and a course in Music Appreciation. Miss Griggs has taught Music for 15 years and is recognized as one of the outstanding teachers in Music in New England, having sent many of her pupils to the New England Festival as well as the Vermont State Festival and they have always made very fine records for themselves.

WILLKIE RALLY AT HOME OF MRS. CHAPMAN FRIDAY EVE

Under the auspices of the Women's Republican Club of Bethel, there will be a Willkie Rally at the home of Mrs. William R. Chapman on Friday evening, Aug. 23, preparatory to the big rally to be held in Odeon Hall some time next week. All persons, men and women, interested in the State issues at present, and who believe in the anti-third term doctrine are invited to be present.

GARDEN CLUB MEMBERS ENTERTAINED WEDNESDAY

Fourteen members of the Garden Club of Bethel and two guests met at the home of Mrs. William R. Chapman Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Chapman spoke briefly on gardens in general and gave several items to be used in the scrap book of the Club. The hostess then introduced Mrs. Alexander Candlish of New York City, who gave a short talk on garden clubs in small communities. Mrs. Laurence Lord then played for the Club to sing "God Save America" and "My Country 'Tis of Thee." Miss George Faulkner, the hostess' sister, who is known as the "Story Lady," spoke of her work in the Brooklyn N. Y. playground, and also gave a patriotic story of the life of Betty Ross as told by Betty Ross' great granddaughter. Tea was served by the hostess, the meeting being one of the most enjoyable of the season.

OXFORD AND ANDROSCOGGIN UNIVERSALISTS TO MEET AT TURNER CHL. NEXT SUNDAY

The Universalist Church at Turner Center, Rev. George W. Shaw, Pastor, will be the host church to the first joint meeting sponsored by the Oxford Association of Universalists and the Oxford and Androscoggin Laymen's Clubs to be held on the campus of Leavitt Institute just across the road from the church. A coincidence appropriate to the occasion is that the president of the Oxford Association, Clarence Coffin of West Paris, is also the first president of the Oxford and Androscoggin Laymen's Clubs.

Horace J. Cook of Auburn Elm Street Church and president of the Universalist Laymen's League of Maine will introduce the layman speaker at the 10:30 session. Mr. Coffin will introduce Rev. Robert Rice of Arlington, Mass., as speaker at 2 p. m.

A picnic lunch beneath the trees is scheduled for fair weather, but in case of rain the church will house all events of the day. Universalists in these neighboring counties of Oxford and Androscoggin look forward to this gala occasion, a good old fashioned picnic grove meeting, in the spirit of true Universalism.

RECRUITING OFFICERS AT NORWAY FRIDAY-SATURDAY

Sgt. Chester E. Rhodes and Corporal Ernest H. Bragg, from the Lewiston Recruiting Station, will be stationed in Norway Aug. 23 and 24 in a Recruiting Truck on Main Street in front of Fred Rowell's office for the purpose of giving out information relative to enlistment in the U. S. Army.

ALGER—ZOBEL

This account of the wedding of Lieut. James Alger will be of interest to many of his friends in Bethel and Bryant Pond. He was a graduate of Gould Academy in 1930 and the following November won the appointment to West Point, leading 19 candidates in the examination. The following is taken from a Manila newspaper.

Miss Consuelo Zobel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enrique Zobel de Ayala (former Spanish consul), prominent members of Manila's Spanish community, became the bride of Lieutenant James Dyer Alger, U. S. Army, in a pretty military wedding held at the Zobel home, 501 L. Guerrero, last Saturday evening (July 29) at 7 o'clock. Prominent in the small group of relatives and friends who witnessed the ceremony was President Manuel L. Quezon, a close friend of the family.

With the Rev. Henry Avery officiating at the double-ring ceremony, the marriage took place before an improvised altar in the parlors of the Zobel home.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was taken to the altar by her father, who was assisted by her brother, Mr. Enrique Zobel. The bride wore a gown of white tulle and carried a bouquet of white flowers. The groom wore a military uniform and carried a sword.

The ceremony was held in the parlors of the Zobel home, which was decorated with white flowers. The bride and groom were surrounded by their families and friends. The ceremony was a private affair and only a few guests were present.

Mrs. McMicking, who was her sister's only attendant, was gown in a blue crepe made with a corselet bodice and pleated skirt. She wore pastel flowers in her hair and a corsage of pastel flowers. Mrs. Zobel wore a gown of black georgette and a black lace mantilla falling from a low comb. Lieutenant Ralph E. Haines Jr. attended the bridegroom as best man. Immediately following the

NEW THEATRE TO OPEN THIS FALL

Work was started Monday on the construction of a motion picture theatre on the Robertson property which was bought last week by Max Zallen of Auburn. The new building will be 102 by 38 feet with the entrance on Main Street, and will be located between the house and the residence of Norman Sanborn. It is not Mr. Zallen's intention to move the house or cut the elm trees in front of the residence.

The theatre will have a seating capacity of 400. It will be of fire-proof construction, with asbestos siding and slate asphalt roof, and will be equipped with new sound equipment and projectors, automatic curtain controlled from the projection booth, and the latest spring cushion seats.

Present plans are for opening the theatre early in November.

OAKES—HERRICK

Miss Margaret Chase Herrick of Augusta, daughter of the late Judge and Mrs. Addison E. Herrick of Bethel, became the bride of Clyde Eugene Oakes of Augusta, son of Mrs. Walter D. Oakes of Dover-Foxcroft and the late Mr. Oakes, Saturday afternoon at the West Parish Congregational Church in Bethel.

They were unattended. Dr. Herbert T. Wallace, pastor of the church, performed the ceremony using the double ring service. The bride wore a tailored dress of pale pink crepe, with white accessories and a corsage of white tube-roses.

The church ceremony was followed by an informal reception in the parlors of the Garland Chapel adjoining the church. After Sept. 1, Mr. and Mrs. Oakes will be at home at 22 Drew Street in Augusta.

Mrs. Oakes was born in Bethel and attended Gould Academy and Mt. Holyoke College at South Hadley, Mass. She is employed by the State Bureau of Health.

Mr. Oakes was born in Dover-Foxcroft and attended Foxcroft Academy and College of Business Administration at Boston University. He served overseas in the first World War in Company F, 103rd Infantry, 26th Division. He is a member of James Fitzgerald Post American Legion, in Augusta, and is employed in the post office department at the state house.

The flowers in the church and chapel were arranged by Mrs. G. I. Thurston. Among those present from out of town were Mrs. Walter D. Oakes of Dover-Foxcroft, Mrs. Charles Leake of Cape Elizabeth, Mrs. Francis Merrill of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Landell of Bethel, and Mrs. Constance E. Wood of Abington, Mass.

The ceremony, the newlywed posed under the traditional arch formed by the arms and robes of the bride and groom, who were Captain H. H. Howe, Captain Harry B. Peckard, Lieutenant Cornelius A. Lichner, Joseph R. Barker, William J. Prioley and Allen C. Miller.

During the reception which followed, the bride cut the three-tiered wedding cake with her husband's saber. Professor Jose V. Carrou was the organist, providing a background of music for the ceremony and reception.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Alger will call Friday on the USAT Grant for the United States, where Lieutenant Alger will report for duty at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Old Fashioned Concert

at West Bethel Union Church 8 o'clock

THURSDAY, AUG. 23

ADMISSION 10c and 20c

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

A Non-Partisan Editorial Review of the Events of Each Week, Illustrated

EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst, and not necessarily of this newspaper.

THE WAR: Step-Up

Reports from both London and Berlin indicated that long awaited aerial blitzkrieg against the British Isles had been stepped up to the point where as many as 500 Nazi planes were making periodic attacks on shipping ports and air-dromes.

Apparently the German tactics had a threefold objective: (1) to challenge Britain's sea control of the English channel by damaging naval harbors and shore establishments; (2) weakening of British air defenses by bombing airports, silencing ground guns and attempting to wear down British pilots by forcing them to maintain 24-hour patrols; (3) a bolstering of the morale of the German people by continued reports of air victories.

As usual London and Berlin in turn each claimed to have the upper hand in the first days of this "battle of Britain." Nazi leaders declared that in the first raids the ports of Margate, Dover and Portsmouth (naval yards) had been ruined by constant bombings. British sources reported a large number of Nazi warplanes shot down (as many as 60 in one day) and government spokesmen praised what they called the "heroic work" of the British fighter plane pilots.

Down East

The most interesting new phase of the II German war was not in the least degree German. It came as John Bull's worst setback in the whole fracas, since last September, and Hitler had virtually nothing to do with it. It was simply this:

The Japanese kicked the British out of the wicked Chinese city of Shanghai. Here England has controlled the so-called International settlement for a century. In North China, where corrupt Shanghai is queen-city, there still are 10,000 British subjects, and nearly a billion dollars' worth of British invested capital. But out the British garrison went, and it was sent far south to Hongkong, a British commercial island just off Canton. Hongkong probably will be next. Already, the Japanese are penetrating French Indo-China, which doubtless won't be "French" very much longer.

NAMES in the news . . .

Governor Stassen, Norse-German-Czech governor of Minnesota, outlined plans for a local home guard, made up of war veterans, as suggested by Mr. Roosevelt.

Senators Minton of Indiana and Holt of West Virginia went into each other's personal characteristics and family histories, in the bitterest congressional debate seen in perhaps a century. Alcohol, slacker activity and billingsgate added to the senatorial spice, and fist-shaking gave a subtle punch to the proceedings. The issue was based on a single potent word: censorship.

Secretary Morgenthau had uniformed guards put around his office in Washington. Officials declined to explain the order, treasury or no treasury. Mystery!

Anonymous Dutch cats and dogs came in for the war, with a vengeance. Cats were rationed with a mere 3 1/2 pounds of meat per month. Dogs were permitted 3 to 12, four times this amount, if they were big enough to justify it. Anonymous Dutchmen rushed to the defense of their anonymous pets, despite the Nazi ordinance.

Mussolini told his Italian women to quit wearing slacks and big sun glasses. The Iron Duce said it was

That's Not All

There are 500,000,000 folks in the British empire. Of these, about 70,000,000 are whites, and the rest are multi-colored. Some 400,000,000 of them live in India. In the II German war, they have been practical-



MAHATMA GANDHI
From Missouri or Irish Free State?

ly neutral, although some Indian regulars in the British army have seen service. England is anxious to get India into the war, and so offered Mahatma Gandhi "full and equal" dominion status, like Canada or Australia, but not until after the war. The Indians were too foxy. They replied they would be a great help—if they were given complete independence, right now. Churchill had always been the No. 1 foe of Indian home-rule, and the Indo-nationalists simply didn't trust him. In the last war, India had dished up millions of soldiers and workers, and many, many millions of good, hard dollars. What Churchill really wanted, was another crack at these untold, untapped resources. But Gandhi, as usual, was from Missouri—or, perhaps, from the Irish Free State.

In Africa

The Italians in Ethiopia staged an offensive against little British Somaliland, on the Red sea. Musso-

lini's local legions started out by doing very well, and won some bush-league initial successes. It looked as if the Somali capital of Berbera, was going to get it, and the Italians captured some tanks and sunk some airplanes, as they forged ahead. London did not worry much about Berbera. That hell-hole is no gold mine like Shanghai, Hongkong, Bombay or Calcutta, where imperial profits stack up.

DEFENSE?

Nat-Guard

The senate passed the measure of National Guard mobilization, by 71 to 7. The National Guardsmen, who didn't seem to know what they were in for, could be sent absolutely anywhere in the Western hemisphere, or to the far-flung Philippines, for that matter. Most of them were business men, and could ill be spared from key positions. Married men were exempted if they resigned within three weeks after they were called up. As a whole, the National Guard is supposed to have Willie tendencies, and not Rooseveltian ones. But Mr. Roosevelt hastened to assure the Guardsists that it was most unlikely they would be sent far afield—something like a 100 to 1 shot. This tended to cool their disgruntlement. New York's crack high-society cavalry became an armored-car outfit, and New York's ditto infantry turned into coast artillery anti-aircraft. So did Harlem's ditto-ditto infantry Negroes. The entire New England National Guard had two tanks (from Hartford, Conn.), and it was authentically asserted by war department bigwigs that we wouldn't have a real army till 1944.

NO SHIPS:

For Hitler

England did one thing that will calm many an American heart. She promised categorically to surrender none of her warships to Germany, in case the latter won the war. England indicated she would scuttle them instead. This was fine news all round. The English begged, too, for 50 to 100 Yankee destroyers. It seemed that British naval losses, in the destroyer class, had been very heavy indeed.

MOSLEY'S:

Upper Crust

One of the funniest aspects of the war developed. It was this. Perhaps 400 of Sir Oswald Mosley's blackshirts—male and female—are



MRS. OSWOLD MOSLEY
She has her sunbaths on the prison lawn.

Interned in the Brixton and Holloway jails in London. Mosley is a wealthy blueblood, and so are more of his Fascist followers: people who are used to the best, in everything.

These Fascists have turned the two jails into pleasure resorts. One lady Fascist ordered 25 bottles of champagne in a single day. The wardens have turned into waiters. The government has had to advertise for more wardens, to do more waiting. Lady Mosley, sister of Hitler's famous girl-friend, Unity, takes sunbaths in a bathing suit, on the prison lawn. Good Sir Oswald eats via an outside caterer, wears silk shirts, and sports a different, newly tailored ensemble each week.

London aristocrats motor to jail, to visit the suffering Fascists. They bring with them hampers of rich food. There is plenty of bridge, and cocktails for all. The other jail inmates, less favored, consist of penniless aliens. They resent the traditional English class distinctions, which exist even in prison. There has been a "stink" in parliament, and irreverent questions were asked. Meanwhile, the other Fascists, in jail, will take orders from nobody but Sir Mosley himself. In the last war, Mosley was a flier, and a good one.

FINLAND:

Doomed?

The Germans took over Czechoslovakia in two stages. The first stage consisted in grabbing the Germanic Sudeten region, and the second stage came five months later, when Hitler snatched virtually all the rest of the country. So, with Russia and the Finns. After a war of 100 days, Stalin took the Mannerheim line, Viborg, Finland's second city, strategic islands, and border strips. Finland was almost disarmed. Then the Soviet's absorbed Bessarabia (from Rumania) and the little Baltic states of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia.

Now it looked like Finland again—or what was left of it. The Russians said they "feared" Finnish activities, and accused the Finns of maltreating their Communist minority. It was the old formula, to precede aggressive action. Meanwhile, the Finnish red leader, Otto Kuusinen, was elected vice president of the Soviet Russian parliament, as a significant gesture. Kuusinen had been an open traitor to his country during the first Finnish war of 1940. The number of Finnish Communists, actually, is rather minute. They call themselves "members of the society for friendship and peace with the Soviet Union in Finland."

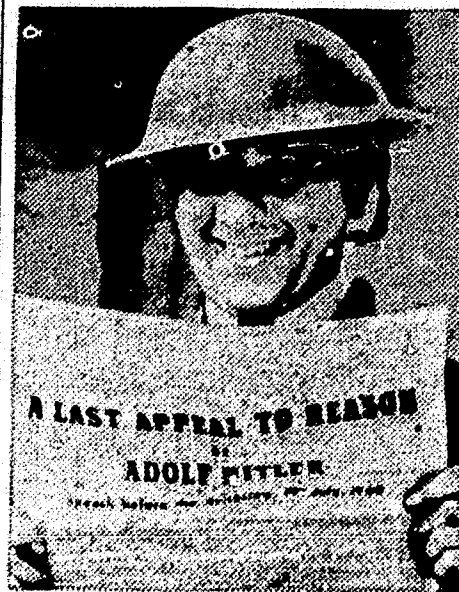
NO JEWS?

Persecution

The two toughest papers in Nazi Germany are the Stürmer and the Schwarze Korps. The latter is the organ of the party's "elite" black bodyguards. It came out with an editorial which said: a German peace will be a Jewless peace. It said: the Nazis plan to clear the entire European continent of Jews, and colonize them in some remote spot. It said: the recent Hungarian and Rumanian anti-semitic legislation is too weak. Needless to say, the radical Schwarze Korps did not speak for the German conservatives, like Goering, Krupp, and Schacht, whom it dislikes, and who openly dislike it.

Julius Streicher, Nazi boss of Nuremberg, and publisher of the radical Stürmer, was reported dead. Then he was reported alive again, but it seems he had lost his lucrative Nuremberg job. Streicher is a close student of Yankee lynchings, which he approves. He always quotes the "latest" lynch in detail, when the Yankees assail his methods in the III Reich. Streicher is especially disliked by Tory-minded Goering. Plebeian Mr. Streicher is a self-made man. Goering is not. The air marshal attended the aristocratic Prussian "West Point," and his father was a bigshot under the old Kaiser. Goering owns the National Zeitung of Essen, which is comparatively "respectable." It is

'Last Appeal'



A British soldier seems to get some grim humor out of the leaflet dropped on many English towns from German bombing planes. Leaflets contained a translation of Adolf Hitler's speech in which he made "A Last Appeal to Reason" before sending aerial legions on extensive raids over the British Isles.

not especially anti-semitic, nor is the German air force.

More of It

Another aspect of Nazi persecution is the Danish case. Up in Copenhagen—the Paris of the north, they claim—they still like to fight duels. But the Nazis have disarmed the Danes, and they are gun-less to the "nth" degree. A local dramatic critic made a dirty crack about a local actress. So a local actor challenged the critic. The critic accepted. There were no guns, no pistols, no nothing fiery. But hate will find a way. The enemies took to bows and arrows. After two flights of arrows, the actor was plinked in the arm, and it was all over. The actress looked on, and everybody went home anti-Nazi, but happy.

Those same Nazis, it was announced from Vichy, had shot down 30 per cent of the entire French air force in 46 days of the battle of France. Pierre Cot, former French air minister, was placed on trial by the enraged Generals Petain and Weygand, and perhaps not without reason. Meanwhile, the Nazis slapped a 15 per cent income-tax, surtax on all their new Polish subjects, for "social equalization." They also claimed, in bewilderment, that the subject Dutch had such bad manners.

LIBERTY:

Kentucky

The most patriotic town in the United States is named Liberty, Ken. The population is all of 500. A fifth of the total population is now in the U. S. army. Some 60 boys signed up in a single week. That totalled more than 100, who had joined the colors within a month. Liberty, Ken., has no use for conscripts or conscription.

In the Revolutionary war, and in 1812, the long Kentucky rifle proved the world's most deadly weapon.

DR. FOSDICK:

He Speaks Out

Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, generally considered New York's No. 1 clergyman, spoke on the radio, and assailed the "hysterical haste" of congress in the matter of peacetime conscription. He said it smacked of being "totalitarian." He said it was undemocratic, and that voluntary enlistment had not been given a fair trial. In substantial agreement with Dr. Fosdick, were our two best military critics, Hanson Baldwin and Maj. George Elliot. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.

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STRAIGHT FROM THE SHOULDER NEWS OF THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Washington Digest

Congressional Expenditures Pass Twenty-One Billion Dollar Mark

This Money Could Buy Entire Railway System of U. S.
Or House One-Fourth of Families in Nation,
According to Survey by A. F. I.

William Bruckart, for many years Washington correspondent whose letters appeared in this newspaper, died suddenly Sunday, August 4. Temporarily the Washington letter will be written by Carter Field and others.

By G. F.
WASHINGTON. — For the first time in American history one session of congress has authorized federal expenditures in excess of \$20,000,000,000.

The nation was astonished and indignant in 1913 when two sessions of congress appropriated \$1,000,000,000. It was our first "billion dollar congress."

In 1934, we had our first \$10,000,000,000 session.

Six years later, between January 3 and August 15, 1940, the third session of the Seventy-sixth congress authorized spending to the extent of \$21,439,678,000.

How much is \$21,000,000,000. It would buy outright the entire railroad system of the United States—every mile of track, every bridge, terminal and yard, every piece of rolling stock and locomotive equipment, every mile of telephone and telegraph equipment, plus every station and siding.

The official reports of the Interstate Commerce commission place the current value of American railroads at roundly \$20,000,000,000. The nation built up this railroad system over a period of 115 years.

It is difficult for the mind to grasp such spending. But we may reduce the authorizations of the present session to familiar terms. Let us assume that the whole amount authorized since January had been devoted to building houses at \$3,000 each. That would be a substantial house—better than the average American home today. Federal appropriations for these eight months would build 7,000,000 such houses, or one for every fourth family in the United States.

Translated into bushels of wheat at current market prices, the expenditures approved for the program since January this year tell a more impressive story.

Assuming a farm price of 70 cents a bushel and an average yield of 30 bushels per acre, we arrive at a gross production of \$21 per acre.

This means that it will take a billion acres of wheat to pay for the federal spending authorized in eight months—assuming the government took every ounce of the national farm production.

But, of course, we could not raise a billion acres of anything in a single year. The combined harvested area of all American farms and all crops is only 300,000,000 acres. This means it would take the full crop of three successive harvests, plus one-third of the fourth harvest, to pay the federal spending bill as approved in the year 1940 to date.

Stated another way, every American farm would have to produce its normal crop and turn everything over to the government for more than three years to pay for this first \$20,000,000,000 congress.

This would mean nothing left on the farms for feed, seed, or family food supplies. It would leave nothing for routine operating expenses.

Our federal government is the fastest growing "industry" in the United States.

Recent official figures show public employment in 1939 as 125.3 per cent of 1929—despite a small decrease in the combined state and local payrolls over the decade.

Only one major sector of Ameri-

can industry employed more persons last year, as compared with 1929—the electric utilities, with employment at 102.4 per cent.

But total factory employment for 1939 was but 80.4 per cent of 1929.

Employment in retail trade was 75.6 per cent; and railroad employment, 64.7 per cent.

The U. S. civil service commission's July report shows a few more than 1,000,000 civil employees on the federal payroll—against 564,487 on March 4, 1933.

American industry in 1939 paid taxes aggregating \$611 for every person on the payroll. This is the figure reported by the American Federation of Investors, on the basis of detailed reports from 183 leading corporations.

All taxes were 54 per cent of combined net before taxes. Seven corporations earned a profit but landed in the red after paying taxes.

Taxes were \$3.05 per common share outstanding, against dividends of \$1.62 per common share paid for the year.

These corporations maintained average employment of 3,378,253 persons.

Conclusion of the study: "Ever-mounting tax burdens are not only a handicap to the national welfare, but also raise added problems for every manufacturer and business man. They directly affect every employee and stockholder. They increase the cost of doing business, and reduce or wipe out profits."

RECORD EXPENDITURE

For the first time in history, the United States congress appropriated a sum exceeding \$21,000,000,000. Congressional expenditure passed the \$1,000,000,000 mark for the first time in 1913, according to a recent study released by the American Federation of Investors. The study reveals that this sum equals the entire gross income from American farms for more than three years.

They Call It POLITICS

By CARTER FIELD

WASHINGTON. — Aid to Britain has slipped into second place, with our own preparedness now first. This is not because President Roosevelt wants it that way. The President believes that aid to Britain is the best possible policy for the United States—that every day Britain holds off the Nazis gives the U. S. that additional day to prepare, that every weakening of Germany under the British defensive blows will make the eventual task of the United States that much easier.

Yet it is politics which has caused the President to turn cagy on new steps to aid Britain. He has to be SURE that he is not endangering his own re-election. Not because the high command of the Republicans would attack such an action, but because the isolationists are making such a determined effort to convince the public that Roosevelt is leading us down the path to war.

For instance, take the matter of these 50 destroyers. Ambassador Lord Lothian said in a radio interview a few weeks back that the greatest aid this country could give Britain IMMEDIATELY would be 50 of those World war destroyers.

But later there came the torpedo-boat episode. It developed that the United States had built some of these little ships with 18-inch torpedo tubes, the size used by the British. We have no 18-inch torpedoes; our navy does not like them, preferring the 21-inch type.

Congress discovered by accident that these torpedo boats were to be turned over to the British and there was a terrific outcry from the isolationists. They protested despite the obvious absurdity of our keeping a type of boat which fires a different size torpedo from the one we use when the British were eager to pay for them, and we could use that money to build the type we do want.

So eager is the President to aid the British that there is no doubt he would have forced the issue, and have forced the issue more recently on the 50 old destroyers, if he were not alarmed by the strength shown by Wendell Willkie in the polls.

But he is working on public sentiment. The fact that Secretary of State Cordell Hull virtually summoned photographers to picture him congratulating Gen. John J. Pershing, after Pershing's radio appeal to let Britain have the destroyers, speaks volumes.

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Star Dust

By VIRGINIA VALE

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HOLLYWOOD is all agog over a contest that's to take place on August 25th at the RKO studios. The participants are Jack Oakie and George Bancroft, and the event is—of all things!—a table-setting contest!

It all started when a Los Angeles department store persuaded ten prominent men about town to set tables as each thought they should be set. Oakie and Bancroft saw the exhibit, and the argument was on, each being perfectly sure that he could out-do the other if ever—heaven forbid—he had to set a table. First thing they knew, they'd arranged the contest; the only rules are that they'll use modern Ameri-



VIVIAN LEIGH

can glassware and keep expenditures down to \$40. The loser will set a table and serve dinner for 16 of the winner's friends.

Vivian Leigh and Laurence Olivier are to be co-starred in a story based on the romance of Lord Nelson and Lady Hamilton, an Alexander Korda picture.

Phyllis Kennedy ought to succeed if anybody should.

In 1933 she was dancing with a troupe in Denver, and fell and fractured her spine. Doctors said she'd never walk again. Two years later she was dancing once more. She was engaged for chorus work in the Astaire-Rogers musicals, and her gift for comedy got her the role of the maid in "Stage Door." Warner Brothers offered her a contract, but she hesitated, let people tell her what to do, and the chance slipped away.

She's working now in "Honey-moon for Three," and Lloyd Bacon, who's directing, is helping by building up her role. Watch her—she's bound to get ahead this time!

"Bottom Bay" is one of those highly dramatic tales, laid in the period just after the American Revolution.

Jean Hersholt's dream of years, a Hollywood home for aged and incapacitated film workers, is soon to be a reality. As president of the Motion Picture Relief fund, he and members of the organization's executive committee will soon begin looking for a site for the home. They have more than a half million dollars, earned by the stars who donated their services to the CBS Screen Guild program so that the money could go into the fund.

ODDS AND ENDS... Errol Flynn's to have a modern role at last in "Affectionately Yours"... Gary Cooper will sing on the screen for the first time in Frank Capra's "Meet John Doe"... As Capra has a way of making exceptionally good pictures, put that one on your "Must" list... Several thousand sets of twin infants were inspected before one pair was chosen for "Touch-down," the football picture in which Wayne Morris stars—they had to be not less than two weeks old, or more than a month, on the day needed—and they'll be paid \$75 a day, a day, for them, being twenty minutes.

FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

By ROGER B. WHITMAN

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Digging a Cellar.

QUESTION: I intend digging a cellar under the kitchen. The bungalow is supported by eight concrete piers. The plot is near a lake and composed entirely of sand. Would you suggest concrete block or poured concrete? Would the caving in of the sand be too much of a hazard? Do you think the cellar would be too damp to use? Would like information on the easiest and cheapest way of doing this.

Answer: My preference is for a poured concrete cellar. If there is any danger of the sand "caving in," the sides should be shored up with boards. As to dampness in the cellar, much will depend on the quality of the concrete and the drainage qualities of the soil. The Portland Cement association, Chicago, Ill., can furnish you with printed matter on this subject.

Removing Wallpaper.

Question: I should like to have your formula for removing old wallpaper.

Answer: Old wallpaper can be removed by a thorough soaking with warm water to soften and free the paste. A handful of washing soda to the gallon of warm water may quicken the action. Be careful not to splash the solution on painted or finished woodwork, as it will destroy the finish. Do not let it run down on the floor. When the paper loosens, tear it off, starting from the top. With the paper off, while the wall is still damp, sponge it with clear, warm water. After drying, sandpaper the wall lightly to remove bits of paper and hardened paste.

Fireplace Tile.

Question: My fireplace is faced with brick-colored tiles that are not handsome. Could I cover them with marbled linoleum and blacken the tiles of the floor?

Answer: Wall linoleum can be applied to tile, but I do not think that the effect would be particularly good. It would be better to bear with the tiles for a while until you are able to replace them with tiles that are more attractive, or with slabs of real marble. If the floor tiles are glossy, the color cannot be changed. If they are dull, you can blacken them with nigrosine dye, to be had at a paint store, or with black ink.

Bungalow Plans.

Question: I understand you send out blue prints, at a small cost, to readers of your papers. I have in mind a bungalow 31 feet by 33 feet; four rooms, bath and front porch. Will appreciate any information you can send me.

Answer: I am sorry, but I do not furnish this kind of service. The Superintendent of Documents at Washington has a booklet of "Farm-house Plans" which may be helpful to you. Write for Farmers' Bulletin 1730. The price of the booklet is 10 cents in coin.

Sweating Tank.

Question: In the bathroom of my country home there is water on the floor most of the time, due to the flush tank sweating. The water coming out of the well is usually about 50 degrees. Can I insulate the tank to stop this dripping?

Answer: A wooden box lined with some form of insulation, made to enclose the tank on all exposed sides, is one way of overcoming this condition. Warm moist air must be kept from coming in contact with the cold surface of the tank.

Water Heater Piping.

Question: I would like to move the hot water storage tank from the kitchen to the cellar; to be connected with the tank water heater and the furnace. Is there a book I can buy, which will tell me how to make these connections?

Answer: Manufacturers of water heaters publish data on the proper way of making connections between the storage tank and the heater. I am sure the firm whose heater you are using will furnish the necessary data.

A WHOPPER!



BRYANT POND

Mrs. LaForrest Twitchell, R. N. went to Harrison Sunday where she will care for Mrs. Claire Hathaway, who remains in a serious condition.

Mrs. Royden Billings of Milford spent the week end with her husband at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Billings. Mr. Billings went to Milford Sunday for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner H. Mann and Mrs. Constance Alger of Bronxville, N. Y. returned Sunday evening from Lake Umbagog where they spent several days.

Mrs. Margaret Vaughn of Portland is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Mabel A. Mann.

Mrs. Howard Judkins of Lake Umbagog, Wilson's Mills, was in town several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cole entertained Mr. and Mrs. Shirley McKay and family of Dorchester, Mass. last Monday.

Miss Dorothy Dunbar, pastor's assistant of the Baptist Church, has gone to the home of her parents in Massachusetts for a vacation of several weeks.

Miss Grace I. Mountfort of Boston, Mass. arrived for a two weeks vacation at Bryant Pond. She is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Cole.

Mrs. Maud Winchester of Portland, who has been the guest of Mrs. Mabel Mann, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Abner H. Mann were Sunday guests, August 11, of Miss Barbara Cole at Aiken Manor, Franklin, N. H.

Mrs. Carlton Andrews of Wycomb, Pa., is the guest of Miss Isabel England at her camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Swan and Guy Jr. of Bethel called on his brother, Porter E. Swan, and family Thursday evening. Kenneth Swan went camping over the week end at Fryeburg with his uncle, Guy Swan and family.

Miss Gloria Hobbs of Haverhill, Mass. is working for her aunt, Mrs. Herbert Meserve, during her school vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrie Hathaway spent the week end at camp at Harpwell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jay Willard have as guests Mrs. Willard's sister and lady friend of New York.

HANOVER

Many from this locality attended the three act drama, "Silas Smidge of Turnip Ridge," given by Bear River Grange Friday evening.

Mrs. Addie Saunders attended a week end party at Camp Jordan, Songo Lock, Naples, when the Grand Chief, Mrs. Wilma Jordan, and husband were hosts. The party numbered 31 and included the Grand Chancellor and wife, Grand Temple Officers and Deputies, Chairman of Deputies, Grand Temple Trustees and Committees, and others. A very enjoyable time is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders.

Recent guests of Miss Rose Howe were Josie Hagan and three daughters, Florence, Dorothy and Helen from Yonkers, N. Y., and grandson Roger from Buffalo, N. Y.

Freeland Knight was a guest of A. G. Howe recently, as were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ott of Franklin, Indiana.

Oscar Dyle was out from the Lakes Friday.

C. F. Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Horr, Westbrook.

Miss Georgia Abbott is visiting relatives in Rumford.

Mrs. Julia Ferris was a recent guest of Miss Georgia Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum and Miss Clara Whitman attended Skowhegan Fair Thursday, August 15th. Mr. Farnum attended a sheriff's meeting in Smithfield and then went to the Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Howe left Friday for St. Louis, Mo. to attend the National Rural Mail Carriers' convention. Mrs. Howe went as a delegate. Mrs. Howe's father, J. P. Farrington of South Woodstock, will accompany them to Ohio to visit relatives.

Miss Beatrice Stoetzer of Alstead, N. H. is spending a week at the home of Rev. and Mrs. James MacKillop and calling on her many friends. Miss Stoetzer was pastor's assistant here and made her home with Rev. James MacKillop and family. She has a fine position at Alstead, N. H. now.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Clifton Bean was at Mrs. Carrie Bartlett's Friday.

Mrs. John Howe, Mrs. Oliver Pales, and B. W. Kimball were at H. C. Thomas', Sumner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings and family were in Upton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Farwell, Miss Evelyn Kimball and Malcolm Farwell were in Rangeley Sunday.

Mrs. Alvin Ayerill and son, Basil Hutchins, of Andover were at S. B. Newton's Sunday.

Mrs. Hezekiah Merrill was called to Milton by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Ackley, who was taken to Rumford Hospital Tuesday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Newton and Carline Dorey were in Andover Sunday evening.

Harry Blake of Malden, Mass., and Charles Bowen of Ogunquit were at Mrs. Ida Blake's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Akers, daughter Beverly and Clifford Pave of Andover were at S. B. Newton's Monday. Mr. Pave remained to help Mr. Newton this week.

Ernest White of Rumford was in town Saturday.

Roy Dorey was at Charles Reed's over the week end.

GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stubbs from Pepperell, Mass., were recent callers at N. A. Stearns'. Mr. Stubbs, as a boy, spent much time with his aunt, the late Mrs. Peter Wheeler.

Clarence Meserve and family from Mechanic Falls were entertained at M. F. Tyler's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mundt from Westbrook and Arthur Whirman from Portsmouth were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mills are visiting Mrs. Austin Jodrey at West Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Whitman, with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitman were at South Waterford Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rogers.

SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball were in Rumford Monday on business.

The old building on the Brice Kimball lot has been razed and burned by Fred Littlefield, the present owner.

Robert Clough spent Monday night with Wallace Brown, leaving Tuesday morning for his daughter's, Mrs. Dorothy Gordon's, at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders, Bethel, called at Hollis Grindle's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Child and Mrs. Florence Brown attended the dance at Milton Saturday evening.

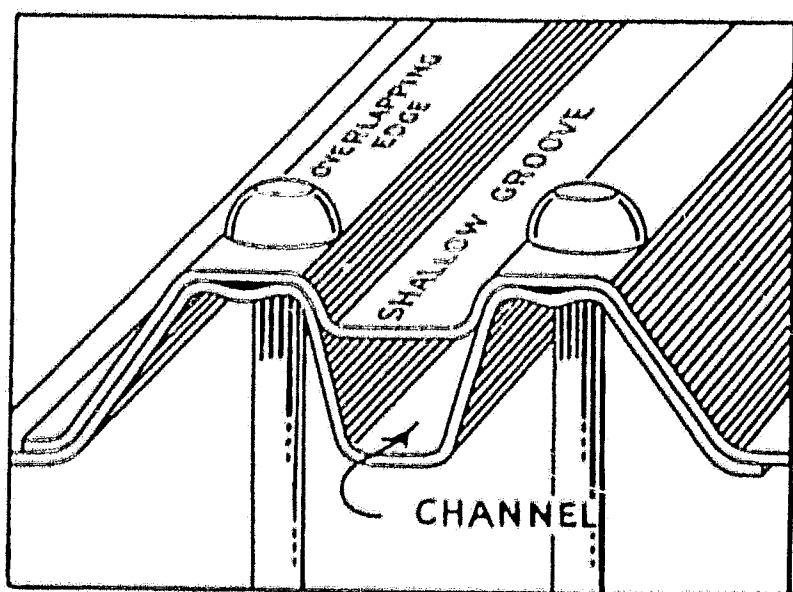
Master Dwight Charles expects to return to his home at Mechanic Falls Friday, after spending a week with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Brown, and his two cousins, Eugene and Jeri Brown.

Stanley Lapham took a truck load of friends to Augusta Sunday to the Air Meet.

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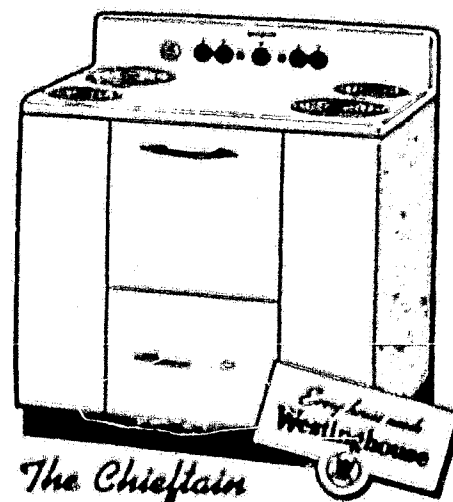


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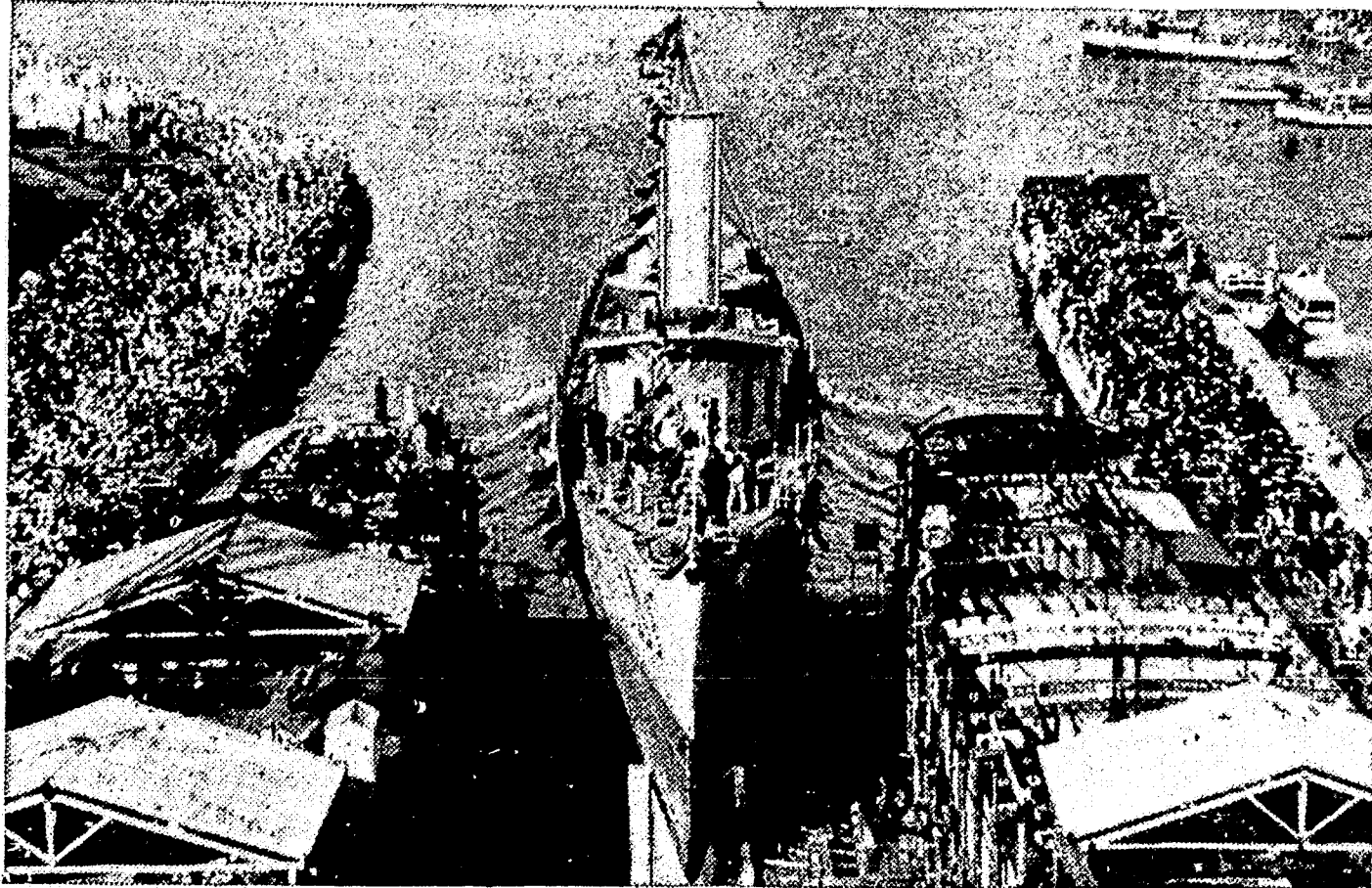
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PICTURE REVIEW

Brazil Launches 'Good Neighbor' Warship



Putting teeth into the declaration of Pan-American unity in defending the Monroe Doctrine, Brazil leads the parade of South American nations in speeding preparedness by launching a new destroyer, the Marcello Dias, at Rio De Janeiro, one of the six class "A" destroyers being rushed to completion. Mrs. Getulio Vargas, wife of Brazil's president, christened the vessel.

Succeeds Farley

Edward J. Flynn of New York city, right, newly appointed chairman of the Democratic national committee, is shown receiving congratulations from James A. Farley, his predecessor.



Modern Lesson in Flying Technique



These are orphaned sons of British airmen slain in battle with German flyers. Ten of the youngsters have been given shelter by a citizen of Sevenoaks, England, who has turned his home over to the government for that purpose. Not daunted by the death of his dad, one youth shows his companions some flying technique.

Expert Training for War Portfolio

Robert P. Patterson, newly appointed assistant secretary of war, shown as he underwent training recently in the Citizens' Training camp at Plattsburg, N. Y. A former federal circuit judge, he succeeded Louis Johnson as assistant secretary of war following the appointment of Col. Henry L. Stimson to the war post. He won the D. S. C. in France in 1917.



Indians Hold Tribal Dances



Seven thousand Indians representing 30 tribes of the Southwest will give demonstrations of chants, games, races and ceremonial dances at a celebration which opened at Gallup, N. M., August 14, to continue for three days. The celebration marks the twentieth annual Inter-Tribal ceremonial. Sixty different types of Indian dances will be exemplified. Above are shown typical scenes from the ceremonial. One of the most colorful dances will be performed by the Apache Indians, who are shown in the lower right doing their "Devil Dance."

'East Side, West Side' Takes a Walk



Former Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York, who announced his intention of supporting Wendell L. Willkie for President, is shown at the piano after acting as judge in the Barber Shop Quartet contest at the New York World's fair. The Happy Warrior made a quintet by joining the winners in "The Sidewalks of New York," his campaign song in the Presidential race of 1928.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1940

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Lester Flint of Portland was in
town last Wednesday.

Mrs. David Forbes spent last
week at her home in Rumford.

F. E. Russell visited relatives in
Phillips from Saturday to Monday.

Mrs. W. J. Upson is spending
several days at her home in Or-
land.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson
are spending a few days in Rock-
land.

Ladies, see the sale advertise-
ment of Brown's Variety Store on
page 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crockett and
Mrs. Sadie Robertson were in Lew-
iston Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adeline Stearns
and family of Andover were Sun-
day visitors in town.

Priscilla Farwell and Robert
Farwell of Andover are guests of
Mrs. Addie R. Farwell.

Mrs. Kenneth Williams of Wo-
burn, Mass., is visiting her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Bartlett of
Stamford, N. Y., are guests of his
mother, Mrs. L. U. Bartlett.

Mrs. Custer Quimby is spending
several days this week with Mr.
Quimby at Raymond, N. H.

David and Wayne Bennett are
spending two weeks with Mr. and
Mrs. Carl Miliken at Temple.

Miss Mary Haley of Manchester,
N. H., has been visiting her sis-
ter, Mrs. Wallace Merrill, and fam-
ily.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Spence
and Mrs. Frank Bartlett spent
Friday with friends at Peaks Is-
land.

The Women's Republican Club
will meet at the home of Mrs. W.
R. Chapman at 7:30 Friday even-
ing.

Richard Crockett, Clayton Pro-
bst, Ernest Gallant and Carlos
Smith spent Sunday at Old Or-
chard.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitman of
Norway were week end guests of
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H.
Thurston.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Pratt spent
the week end at South Casco with
Mrs. Pratt's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Fred J. Remy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson and
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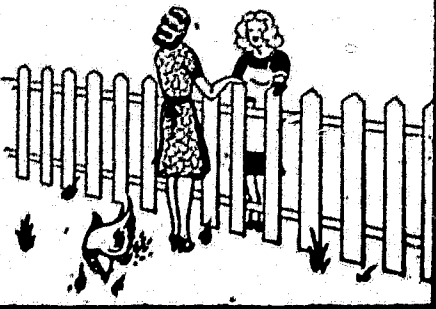
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THIS BUSINESS OF Living

BY
SUSAN THAYER



EMPRESS IN NEW ENGLAND

It's a far cry from the pomp and
ceremony of "Schonbrunn," the
great castle outside of Vienna
where the Austrian emperor and
his family spent the summer, to
that simple white house on a New
England village street where Zita,
the last empress of that ill-fated
country, and seven of her eight
children have found refuge.

Even the small, twelfth-century
castle in the Flemish village of
Steenockerzell, twelve miles from
Brussels where this family of royal
exiles had been living since 1920,
smacked of the elegance which used
to surround the Hapsburgs where-
ever they went. There was a moat
surrounding the castle and a draw-
bridge which was not lowered un-
til a visitor's credentials had sat-
isfied the retainers who stood guard
at the medieval bridge.

But up in Royalston, Massachu-
setts, only a low, white fence of
wooden palings separates the last
of the great Hapsburg families
from the world. And the Empress

Zita expects her younger children
to attend American universities
this fall! That will be better than
private tutors, she believes. It is
important for them to know the
people of this country and how
they live.

And what will the young refu-
gees, who have lived in precarious
exile all their lives, think of a
country where people say what
they please no matter if they are
disagreed with... where news-
papers report both sides of a con-
troversy... where young people
follow their own inclinations in
choosing a career?

Had they been born 25 years
earlier, being Hapsburgs they
would have had unusual privileges,
honor, wealth. But never would
they have had such liberty as will
be theirs in America where Free-
dom rests on a tripod of repre-
sentative democracy, civil and re-
ligious liberties and free enter-
prise; where the individual is more
important than the state.

WEST PARIS

West Paris Grange observed Vis-
itors' Night last Thursday. Among
the Granges represented were
South Paris, Norway, Bryant Pond
and two guests from Amherst,
Mass., Grange. The principal
speaker was Thomas Fielder of
Bangor, who told of his experi-
ences of escape from the sinking
Athena when it was torpedoed
last September. He had been
across to study art and was re-
turning home.

Mrs. Arthur Dean and daughter
Mary returned home Sunday with
her sister, Mrs. Glenn, and hus-
band from Amherst, Mass., who
had been visiting her here.

Thomas Perkins, LL. D., of Mas-
sachusetts visited his sister, Ruth
Emery, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Curtis of
Massachusetts have been vacation-
ing here in their trailer and call-
ing on relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Arvikanen of Gar-
diner, Mass., have been calling on
former parishioners here the past
week.

Elwin Small has returned from
the Augusta State Hospital, and is
with his mother, Mrs. Alton Bick-
nell, on Pioneer Street. He is
working on the road.

Tommie Emery is spending two
weeks at the Boy Scout camp
Camp Hinds, Raymond. Ned Her-
rick went with him and stayed one
week.

Mrs. Helmi Cummings and
daughter Carolyn spent the week
end with her parents in Livermore.
Her sister, Lempi Pulkkinen, re-
turned with her for a visit.

Mrs. Scribner of Portland is vi-
siting her brother James and Mrs.
Wight.

Mrs. Fannie J. O'Neil of Cole-
brook spent several days the first
of the week with her sister, Mrs.
T. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings
with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Maxim of
South Paris went on a trip to Dol-
by Camp Ground last Wed-
nesday to help in the observance
of Arsene Blaquiere's birthday.

Mrs. Maxim presented him with a
cake which was served around the
camp fire.

Flora J. Cummings, accompanied
by Miss Anna Giles of Skowhegan,
was Friday and Saturday guest of
A. R. Cummings and family.

County Commander Cummings,
with a large following of his own
Post, attended the monthly Coun-
cil meeting in Bethel Tuesday ev-
ening.

Mrs. Helen Smith has gone to
Gorham, N. H., where she will vi-
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NEWRY CORNER

A clinic for pre-school children
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29. Mothers and children are to be
there at 2 o'clock. Dr. Wilson
Dr. Brown, Miss Porter and Mrs.
Ruth Hopkins will be present for
the examination.

Mr. and Mrs. McKnight and sons,
Billy and Jimmy, of Quincy, Mass.,
are spending their vacation at
Bear River Cabins.

Much praise is due Bear River
Grange members and the coaches,
Mrs. Dudley and Mrs. Saunders, in
their presentation of the three act
drama, "Silas Smidge from Tur-
nup Ridge," at their hall here last
Friday night before a large crowd.
Specialties were presented between
acts and an old-fashioned dance
followed the play.

The Independent Retail Gasoline
Dealers Association met at Beth-
aven Inn, Bethel, Tuesday night,
Aug. 20.

The Farm Bureau picnic will be
Aug. 30 at the home of Mrs. Ethel
Vail.

S. T. Tripp and Will Walker
have been working for Charles
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guests at L. E. Wight's.

F. W. Wight and family attended
the Littlehale reunion at Howard's
Pond Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Noyes, a former min-
ister here, is staying at Screw
Auger Falls this week with a boy's
camp from Amesbury, Mass.

Miss Elizabeth Wight is spend-
ing two weeks with relatives in
Worcester and Framingham, Mass.

There will be a church supper
at Mrs. F. W. Wight's Saturday
night. It will be served out of
doors if pleasant. There will be
beans baked in the ground.

GREENWOOD CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Blekford
of Providence, R. I., and Elmer
Hayes, who have been touring the
states, the Pacific Coast, and Wes-
tern Canada since June, returned
to Mrs. Anna Hayes' on Monday
evening.

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EAST STONEHAM

Gordon Allen and family of East
Weymouth, Mass., were guests of
his brother, George Allen, and
family a few days this past week.

Alberta Haynes of Bangor, and
Muriel Barnes of New Bedford,
Mass., who have been at their
camp, "The Retreat," for the past
three weeks returned to their
homes Monday.

Laurence and Osmond Daddmun,
also Edwin Murphy of Stoneham,
joined other boy scouts and, with
their scout master, Laurence
Brown of North Waterford, attend-
ed the air meet at Augusta Sun-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Sias of
Iowa and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald
Young of Chicago arrived Friday
at Keewaydin Inn for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and
son Richard, with friends from
Avon, Mass., have been camping on
the shore of Keewaydin Lake the
past week.

Arlene Edwards, who works at
the New England Deaconess Hos-
pital, Boston, is with her parents
at Edwards camp for her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Richardson
and son Kenneth were in Boston
for a few days this past week.

Arlene Anderson worked for
Mrs. Curtis Bickford over the week
end.

Minnie Littlefield left Friday for
a week's visit with relatives in
Claremont, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Farrington
and friends were in Augusta Sun-
day.

LOCKE MILLS

Scott Howe and daughter Doro-
thy of Topeka, Kansas, are visit-
ing his sister, Mrs. W. B. Rand,
for several weeks.

Eddie Dorion Jr. has returned
from a visit with relatives at And-
over.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ring are at
her son's cottage at Crescent Lake
for the week.

Mrs. Maude Sanborn of Auburn-
dale, Mass., is visiting with Mrs.
Hannah Coolidge for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Eben Rand, daugh-
ter Mary and Miss Mary Frazier of
New York are visiting his mother,
Mrs. W. B. Rand.

NORTHWEST BETHEL

Miss Mary Gibbs is spending this
week with her sister, Mrs. Evans
Wilson, and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Elwin Wilson and
family of South Portland spent the
week-end with his mother, Mrs.
Irving Wilson.

Mrs. George Decosta and infant
daughter returned home Monday
from the St. Louis Hospital, Ber-
lin, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Skillings,
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Coolidge, Elton and Stanley Cool-
idge, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cool-
idge and Lester Coolidge Jr. at-
tended the Skillings reunion Sun-
day, held at the Old Skillings
Home in Gorham, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cleaves, Mar-
jorie and Flora Cleaves of Wal-
tham, Mass., spent the first of the
week at H. A. Skillings'.

CLOVER FARM STORES

CLOVER FARM	CLOVER FARM—Oven Baked
BEEF, Brown Gravy can 19c	B E A N S 2 tall cans 25c
CLOVER FARM	GEM—New Pack
CORNER BEEF HASH cn. 17c	P E A S 2 No. 2 cans 23c
CLOVER FARM	CLOVER FARM
CORN FLAKES 2 for 19c	BROWN BREAD 2 cans 25c
CLOVER FARM—Rasp. or Straw.	GLENDAL—Orange Pekoe
PRESERVES 16 oz. jar 19c	T E A 1/2 lb. pkg. 29c
CLOVER FARM—Fancy	GLENDAL
PEANUT BUTTER 16 oz. 17c	TOILET TISSUE roll 4c
CLOVER FARM—Vacuum Packed	P & G SOAP 3 bars 10c
COFFEE lb. can 25c	MRS. LANE'S
CLOVER FARM	DOG FOOD 4 No. 1 cans 19c
S P O R K 12 oz. can 22c	CLOVER FARM—All Purpose
CLOVER FARM	FLOUR 24 1/2 lb. bag 87c
M I L K 4 tall cans 27c	CLOVER FARM—Fancy
	FRUIT COCKTAIL can 27c

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ALBANY TOWN HOUSE
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Mrs. Melba Hall and daughter Nathalie have gone to New Hampshire to spend several days.

Arthur Haselton attended the Aero Rendezvous at Augusta Sunday.

Dan Forcier spent the week end in Lewiston.

Mrs. Ray Andrews visited her uncle, True Penley, of Auburn Sunday.

Callers at L. J. Andrews' Thursday were Mrs. William E. Patterson of Groton, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sawin, Mr. and Mrs. John Meserve of Bethel, and Miss Susie Flint of Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Blake and children, Joyce and Barbara, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer LaChance and family of Gorham, N. H., visited at Clyde Hall's Sunday.

Earl Keniston of Strong is spending his vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews.

Leslie Fleck and Fred Whitney spent the week end at their home in Harrison.

DEERTREES TO CONCLUDE ITS SEASON WITH FLORENCE REED IN "THE SHANGHAI GESTURE"

Bela Blau will bring to a close his second annual drama festival at the Deertrees Theatre, Harrison, with an appropriately auspicious presentation, Florence Reed, one of the really brilliant and most famous actresses of the day, in her greatest starring triumph, "The Shanghai Gesture," which will play for one week beginning Monday evening, Aug. 26. This will be the exclusive showing anywhere this summer of one of the most sensationally successful melodramas of the American theatre. Miss Reed, who made "The Shanghai Gesture" internationally famous, will appear in the role she created.

Having brought to Deertrees this season such distinguished artists of the stage and screen as Ethel Barrymore, Tallulah Bankhead, Grace George, Arthur Treacher, Joe E. Brown and Ruth Chatterton, Mr. Blau believes it is only fitting that he conclude his season with a star of the stature of Florence Reed, and a production of a quality surpassing even the most impressive of past productions at Deertrees.

Florence Reed played Mother Geddum, her best-known role, in the exotic and thrilling "The Shanghai Gesture" for more than four seasons. She's the third generation of Reeds in show business, and the record of her appearances from 1910 to date would fill a page in the theatre's Who's Who. Her versatility is proverbial, covering star roles in Shakespearean plays, comedies, farces, melodramas.

"The Shanghai Gesture" will have the costliest and most elaborate production Bela Blau has yet presented at Deertrees. As everyone must know by now, "The Shanghai Gesture" is laid in China. The settings will have to be designed and executed with particular care, and the costumes are being assembled by a special detail working in New York under the personal supervision of Miss Reed and Bela Blau. The furniture and properties will also be assembled in New York since authenticity of atmosphere is a most important part of this production. As a matter of fact, the properties are unavailable anywhere but in New York, which means that Mr. Blau will have the props hauled by truck 400 miles. The trucks will return to New York empty and will return to Deertrees to bring the furniture and props back to the various New York studios where they were assembled.

The Spencer Corset Company wishes to announce the appointment of **MRS. FLORENCE PERHAM** of Bryant Pond as its Representative for this district.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Evelyn Hunt, R. N., of Plymouth, N. H., is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt, for a month's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Smith and of Norway called on Mr. and Mrs. two children and Norman Jordan Adney Gurney Sunday.

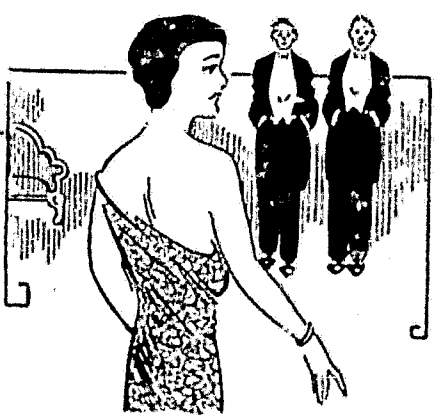
Mrs. Alma LaFayette returned to Hebron Saturday after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Leslie Davis, who is ill.

Mrs. Walter Oakes of Dover-Foxcroft and daughters, Mrs. Edna Locke of Cape Elizabeth and Mrs. Electra Merrill of Dover-Foxcroft, were guests of Mrs. Oakes' niece, Mrs. Ernest Bisbee, and attended the Oakes-Herrick wedding Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Drummond and his niece, Miss Ann Drummond of Falmouth, spent last week at their home in town. This week with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Drummond, and mother, of Falmouth and Portland, they are at Dolly Copp camp ground.

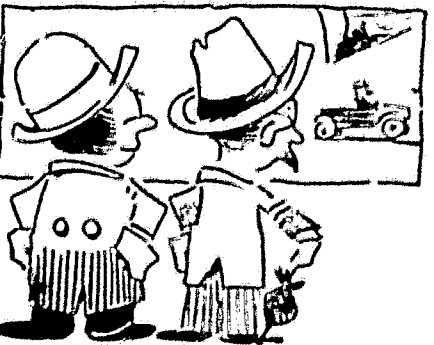
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sawin, Mrs. Florence Gill, Miss Gladys Smith, Zenas Merrill, Durward Mason and Fritz Tyler were among those from town who attended the General Welfare Center field day at Oxford Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Gordon attended the camp meeting at East Livermore Sunday. They are going to Franklin Friday to spend a few days with relatives. Their daughters, Misses Jeanette and Rachel Gordon, who have been in camp at Damariscotta several weeks, will return home with them.

WRAPPED UP IN THEM

"That woman over there is Mrs. Frank S. Posure. She thinks of nothing but her clothes."

"And yet you can't say that she's all wrapped up in them."

NOT ONLY THAT

"Horses have decreased enormously with the use of the automobile."

"Yes; and with its use so has horse-sense."

ALDER RIVER GRANGE

Alder River Grange, East Bethel, held a regular meeting Friday evening, Aug. 16, with Worthy Master Willard Farwell in the chair. Three officers were absent.

The ladies degree team of Franklin Grange, Bryant Pond, conferred the third and fourth degrees on Grace Foster, James Ryerson and George Ryerson.

After a short business session the Lecturer called on several guests for remarks. Those responding were Sister Annie Davis and District Deputy Ellis Davis of Franklin Grange; Massachusetts State Deputy Glynn and Sister Glynn of Amherst, Mass.; Sister Dean of West Paris Grange; Brother Otis Dudley and Master Everett Davis of Franklin Grange.

Sister Myra Foster gave a vocal solo with piano accompaniment.

Roll of Granges found the following members present: Franklin 46; Amherst, Mass., 2; West Paris 2; Alder River, 18; Eastfield Grange, Newport, 1.

After the close of the meeting cake, sandwiches and lemonade were served in the dining room.

Hot-Diggety-Dog!

Dorothy Lamour, Hollywood's strong girl, bites with gusto into a dime frankfurter lunch (lucky dog) at the World's Fair in New York.

FRANKLIN GRANGE BRYANT POND

Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond met Saturday evening, August 17. Past Masters' Night was observed with the following officers:

Master—Otis Dudley
Overseer—Albert Russ
Chaplain—Oscar Twitchell
Lecturer—Dana Dudley
Secretary—Martha Dudley
Treasurer—Florence Cushman
Steward—Everett Davis
Assistant Steward—Ellis Davis
Lady Assistant Steward—Olive Davis

Gate Keeper—George Cushman
Pomona—Mary Felt
Ceres—Louise Sweetser
Flora—Florence Twitchell
There was a good attendance of Franklin Grange and Franklin Juvenile Grange. A few visitors were present. Refreshments were served.

PROGRAM:

Song, Battle Hymn of the Republic, All
Reading, Mrs. Olive Davis
Harmonica Solo, (encore)
Otis Dudley
Reading, (encore) Ned Swan
Duet, Misses Margaret Howe and Beatrice Hathaway
C. M. White, Department of Agriculture at Augusta, showed very good pictures of the Eastern States Exposition.

The ladies' degree team of Franklin Grange went to Alder River Grange at East Bethel Friday night, August 16, and conferred the third and fourth degrees on three candidates. Forty-six members went to East Bethel and all had a fine time.

GREENWOOD FLOWER SHOW

The second Greenwood Flower Show, held Thursday, Aug. 15, at Locke Mills Town Hall, was a decided success. Prizes were awarded as follows:

Class 1. Cut Flowers. 1st, Floyd Babcock; 2nd, Mrs. Calder; 3rd, Stella Howe.

Class 2. Petunias. 1st, Emma Day; 2nd, Mabel Farrington; 3rd, Gladys Tyler.

Class 3. Pewter. 1st, Florence Swift; 2nd, Edmond Bryant; 3rd, Elsie Bennett.

Class 4. Mixed Bouquets. 1st, Florence Bean; 2nd, Edna Newton; 3rd, Stella Howe.

Class 5. Bottle Arrangement. 1st, Edna Newton; 2nd, Mrs. Carl Larson; 3rd, Ella Jordan.

Class 6. Miniature. 1st, Edna Newton; 2nd, Mary Babcock; 3rd, Marjorie Mason.

Class 7. Porch Follage. 1st, Elsie Bennett; 2nd, Mrs. Milliken; 3rd, Elsie Bennett.

Class 8. Flower Picture. 1st, Myrtle Clifford; 2nd, Eva Bean; 3rd, Barbara Gilly.

Class 9. Gladioli in Milk Bottle. 1st, Florence Bean; 2nd, Natalie Hodekins; 3rd, Edith Tyler.

Class 10. Dolls' Tables. 1st, Phyllis Tebbets; 2nd, Priscilla Ring; 3rd, Barbara Cole.

Special Honorable mention was given to the rock garden display.

OLD FASHIONED CONCERT NEXT TUESDAY EVENING

Come and sing with your neighbor in the spirit of old times at the old-fashioned concert at Middle Intervale Aug. 27 at 8 p. m. This old church was built in 1805 and was formerly a union church. At a later date it was sold at auction, the Baptists outbidding the Methodists by \$1.00. In the late 1870's the steeple was blown off during a violent storm. The performers will dress in costumes of a bygone day and it is hoped many of the audience will also. A prize will be awarded to the gentleman and to the lady in the best costumes. The judges will be Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts, Mrs. A. Van Den Kerckhoven, and Mrs. John Howe. There will be a small admission charge. Following is a tentative program.

Doxology**Onward Christian Soldiers.****Audience****The Quilting Party****Daisy, Daisy****Violin solo, Muriel Hall, Bethel****Vocal solo.****Mrs. Floyd Redman, Bryant Pond****Songs of the Gay Nineties, Mrs.****Harry Lyon, Mrs. Percy Brinck,****Mrs. Alfred Taylor, Mrs. Arthur****Dudley, Bethel****Reading, White Lilacs,****Helvi Koskela, So. Woodstock****Cornet solo,****Robinson Burbank, Berlin****The Little Brown Church****Annie Laurie, Audience****Three Blind Mice****My Bonnie****Solo, Silver Threads Among the****Gold, Harold Green, West War-****wick, R. I.****Short skit, Early History of East****Bethel, Deborah Farwell, Isabel****Kimball, Virginia and Barbara****Hastings, East Bethel****Cello and Violin duet, Arlene and****Robert Greenleaf, Bethel****Recitation from Monroe's First****Reader, Teddy Carter, Joan Ward****French Peasant Songs in costume,****Robert Seward, Professor of****French at Bates College****Alice Blue Gown, Put on Your Old****Grey Bonnet, Ida Lee Clough,****Carolyn Wight, Bethel****Awarding of Prizes, Mrs. Tibbetts****Auld Lang Syne, Audience****UPTON****The Older Young People of Up-****ton and Newry held a meeting at****the home of C. A. Judkins Tuesday****night with Henry Harvey as di-****rector.****An unusual sight about 4:30****Monday morning was a rainbow.****The moon was shining and it was****raining hard at the time.****Miss Phyllis Barker has been****visiting Mr. Prescott Tucker.****H. Prescott Tucker Jr. of Need-****ham, Mass., was a week end vis-****itor of his parents.****The Christian Endeavor of Up-****ton will meet at North Newry this****Thursday evening.****Rev. John Manter who is at****tending the summer session of****Andover Theological Seminary,****was at his home here over the****week end.****BRYANT'S MARKET**

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SLICED BACON	1b. 19c	WHEAT PUFFS	2 pkgs. 15c
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CHUCK ROAST	1b. 24c	Ultra Refined	
Large		SPAM	12 oz. can 25c
SUNKIST LEMONS	doz. 37c	Royal Guest	
Large		COFFEE	1b. bag 21c
BARTLETT PEARS	doz. 33c	IGA Royal Guest	
JUICE ORANGES	doz. 23c	T E A	1 1/2 lb. 39c
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PEAS	2 No. 2 cans 31c	* 2 cans IGA CLEANSER	10c
Chocolate		* 1 pkg. IGA Soap Grains	19c
MINTS	1b. cello. bag 23c	* 1 pkg. IGA Soap Flakes	23c
Kralkrisp		* 4 bars White Float, Soap	20c
WHEAT FLAKES	pkg. 10c	* 1 MOP STICK Free	97c
P&G SOAP	3 bars 10c	* A L L For ONLY	

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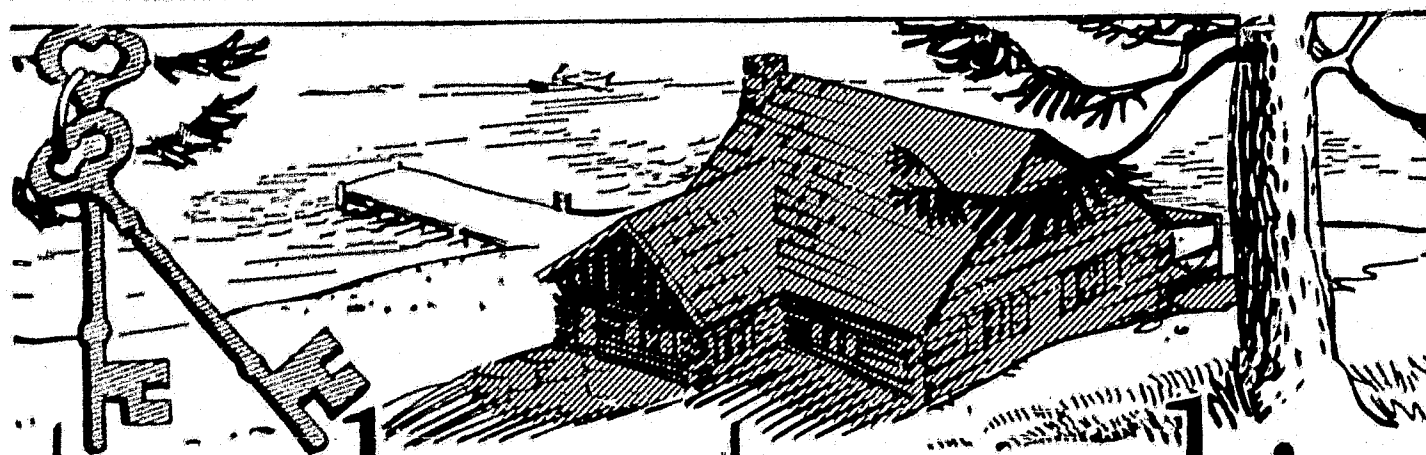
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While Stock Lasts

Brown's Variety Store
Bethel



two keys to a cabin

BY LIDA LARRIMORE

CHAPTER VIII—Continued

"Millicent and Grace were unable to be with us today." Aunt Flora's diamonds flashed as she poured coffee.

"Yes, he is assisting a Dr. Sergeant in general practice now, but that is a temporary arrangement."

"Such a sweet mouth," Aunt Luc said. "I suppose that sounds odd in speaking of a man," she added as though she expected to be corrected.



Aunt Flora looked at her
in silence.

man appeared to be as embarrassed as he, John, felt. He sat forward in his chair, his tall well-groomed figure fixed in an uneasy attitude. "For falling in love with m

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

Whereas Sumner G. Bean of Albany, in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, by his mortgage deed dated November 2nd, 1937, and recorded in the Oxford County Registry of Deeds, Book 425, Page 206, conveyed to Alma J. Judkins, now deceased, late of Paris, in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, a certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Albany, and being the south half of lot numbered six in the third range of lots in said Albany, being the same property conveyed to Estella Bean by E. H. Bean by deed dated December 24, 1887, and recorded in Oxford Registry of Deeds, Book 211, Page 450. The said Sumner G. Bean getting his title to the above land under the Will of Estella Bean. And whereas the conditions of said mortgage have been broken, now therefore, by reason of the breach of the conditions thereof, I, the undersigned Gerard S. Williams, administrator of the estate of the said Alma J. Judkins, claim a foreclosure of said mortgage in my said capacity as administrator. Dated at Bethel, Maine, this sixth day of August, 1940.

GERARD S. WILLIAMS
Administrator of the Estate of
Alma J. Judkins

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said July. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Rumford, on the fourth Tuesday of August, A. D. 1940, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Ernest M. Walker of Bethel, an adult ward; Petition for license to sell real estate situated in Bethel, Newry and Albany Township, presented by Carroll S. Mitchell, conservator.

Annie C. Hamlin, late of Bethel, deceased; Second trust account presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, trustee.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty.

34 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.

THE OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH NEWS

THIS WEEK: Thursday, the 22nd, to Thursday, the 29th:

This Thursday evening there will be an East Stoneham Circle Supper. Friday evening there will be a supper in Center Lovell preceded by a sale.

This Sunday the guest preacher in Waterford will be the Rev. Mr. Higdon, who is staying in the Waterford parsonage during Dr. Bull's absence. In Lovell Dr. Ashley Day Leavitt of Brookline, Mass. is the guest preacher. There will be a sun-set service Sunday evening with James Martin speaking.

On Monday, the 26th, a group of Parish young people will leave for Camp Manitou.

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Tuesday, the 27th, is a North Waterford Circle supper. And on Thursday evening, the 29th, the Albany Circle will hold a supper.

EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK:

Last Thursday evening, the 15th, the Albany Circle conducted a successful sale and supper. On Sunday the entire parish had a treat of guest preachers: in Waterford, Rev. John Hawley; in North Waterford, Rev. Mr. Biegner; in Albany, Rev. Mr. Rose; in Stoneham, Rev. Mr. Haviland; and in Lovell Rev. Carl S. Weist.

Tuesday evening Camp Passaconaway presented a minstrel show at the Wilkins House for the benefit of the Waterford Circle. Wednesday afternoon Camp Kokosing gave an "Aquacade" and picnic at their camp as a benefit for the Waterford Vacation School.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blatchford and two daughters have returned to their home in New York after passing ten days at the Skeele summer home.

Mrs. Harold Nutting and son Russell of Bethel were week end guests at Olive Little's. Mr. Nutting was a Sunday guest. Thelma Harding was ill last week.

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PROBATE APPOINTMENTS.

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:—

Millie H. Clark, late of Bethel, deceased; Ellery C. Park of Bethel, executor with bond. July 16, 1940.
Nellie A. Douglass, late of Hanover, deceased; Frank S. Douglass of Hanover, executor without bond. July 16, 1940.

Anna F. Kimball, late of Keene, New Hampshire, deceased; Ida M. Packard of Bethel, Trustee with bond. July 16, 1940.

Corra A. Robertson, late of Bethel, deceased; Percy L. Robertson of Waterbury, Connecticut, executor without bond. Ellery C. Park of Bethel, Agent in Maine, July 16, 1940.

Louis Klauder has joined his family at the Robertson summer home.

Hugh Stearns has taken a logging job of S. D. Nutting and has made a truck road to the lot. Donald Kimball of North Waterford is doing the trucking.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grover of North Waterford were callers on Mrs. Grover's mother, Lavan Allen, last Saturday.

Isabelle Hill has returned to her sister's, Mrs. Winfield Whitman's, at Bethel after visiting Barbara Stearns.

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by Thornton W. Burgess

BULLY IS PERSISTENT

Persist, persist, and still persist
And then persist some more;
And when it seems no use at all
Persist just as before.

THAT seems to be the motto that Bully the English Sparrow believes in and tried to live up to. It is a good motto. Yes, indeed, it is a very good motto, when it is right-ly used. You know that to persist means to keep always trying and trying over and over again. So it is always perfectly splendid to persist in things that are right. But always be sure that you are right, before you persist, because if you don't



The next day he visited the Old Orchard to see if Bully had left.

you may fare no better than did Bully.

When Farmer Brown's boy pulled Bully's nest out of the hole in the apple tree in the Old Orchard and tore it to pieces and carried away the six eggs that were in it he thought that Bully and his wife would surely leave the Old Orchard. That is why he did what seemed like such a dreadful thing. He wanted them to leave the Old Orchard, because he knew that if they didn't the other birds would, and that would be truly dreadful. He knew that other little feathered people simply couldn't live with such noisy, quarrelsome neighbors as Bully and his wife, and wouldn't live there. He knew that unless something was done, the Bullies would have the Old Orchard to themselves the next spring, and then how the worms and the insects would thrive on the trees! But he couldn't quite make up his mind to kill or really hurt Bully and Mrs. Bully, so he thought that if he took their eggs and destroyed their nest there couldn't be any baby sparrows to grow up and make more trouble, and then per-haps Bully and his wife would go away from the Old Orchard.

But Farmer Brown's boy didn't know Bully. No, indeed! He didn't know how persistent Bully can be. The next day he visited the Old Orchard to see if Bully had left. What do you think he found? Why, he found that Bully and his wife had a new nest half built in the very same hole that the old one had been in! He tore this to pieces only to find another on the next day. And so it was on the following day and the day after that Farmer Brown's boy just had to admire the spunk and per-sistence, of Bully and Mrs. Bully.

"You certainly deserve to be left alone," said he, "but I can't do it. You are a nuisance, and so you have

Gold Jewelry Will Be Worn This Fall

In spite of the fact that gold jewelry has been somewhat out of the picture for a brief spell comes reports to the effect that it has again come to the fore in the style picture. However, the new gold jewelry that will capture smart black jersey dresses and those of sheer wools, is not of the garish spec-tacular type. There is exquisite refinement expressed in subtle detail and workmanship in the mounting neck-laces, bracelets, pins, clips and lapel ornaments.

got to go if I have to come here and break up your nest every day all summer."

A day or two after that Farmer Brown's boy found no nest when he put his hand in the hollow of the tree. "At last they've given up," thought he. "I hope they have left the Old Orchard for good." He was almost out of the Old Orchard on the other side when his sharp eyes caught sight of a little bird just disappearing in a hole in the very last tree. He walked up and pounded on the tree. Out popped—who do you think? Why, Mrs. Bully to be sure! She and Bully were building a nest there. It took Farmer Brown's boy three days to make Bully and his wife understand that they couldn't build there or any-where else in the Old Orchard. Finally they gave up and flew away. And where do you think they went? Why, straight to Farmer Brown's barn, and there way up under the leaves, where only the longest ladder could reach them, they built a nest, and raised their young. Farmer Brown's boy said that such bold-ness and impudence deserved a reward and so as long as they were out of the Old Orchard and not bother-ing other birds he would leave them alone.

And in the Old Orchard there was great rejoicing, for now no one wanted to move away, and everyone there looked on Farmer Brown's boy as their friend.

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Feathered Trims Used in Many Ways

Feathered trims are used in new and delicate ways on the hats shown for summer wear. Tiny curls of beige ostrich tips cover the crown of a beige-toned beret. On a brown felt sailor the brim is faced with brown ostrich feathers that extend out to form a soft fringe around the edge.

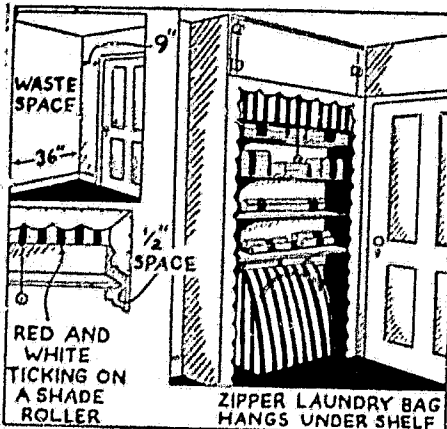
Side-Saddle Drape



South America makes her contri-bution to sophisticated fashion in the intriguing presto chango play suit adapted from an Ecuadorian costume in the Traphagen school museum collection. The red wool shawl worn casually over the shoul-ders with the white rayon shorts and blouse can be easily whisked into a skirt as here shown, with the new slim side-saddle drape which is the current rage and which is highly appropriate for luncheon at the beach club.

HOW to SEW

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS



EVERY Homemaker knows how many steps could be saved if table linens could have a special closet in the kitchen or pantry. In one home that we know of space for such a closet was going to waste all because cupboard doors or drawers would conflict with the door shown here in the small sketch. At the right you see how that space became an efficient linen closet after all—complete even to a smart laundry bag for soiled napkins and table covers.

The high compartment has a door of plywood. Below this are shelves with a curtain on a shade roller. The curtain runs up and down between the shelves and the scalloped board that frames the closet, as shown at the left. This board is 1/2 inch thick and four inches wide. The scallops were marked by drawing around a tea-cup and were cut out with a jig saw.

NOTE: As a service to our read-ers Mrs. Spears has prepared a series of homemaking booklets. No. 5, just published, contains 32 pages of clever ideas fully illus-trated and a description of the other numbers. To get your copy send order to:

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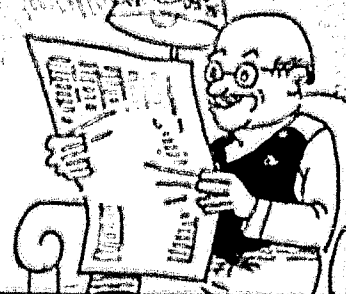
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Household News

By Eleanor Howe

Community picnics are fun! They offer an opportunity for a carefree day under the open sky—carefree for even the chairman in charge of affairs, if she's planned her program well and chosen her helpers wisely. If the crowd to be served is a really large one, it's a good idea to have one committee member responsible for each main dish such as meat, potatoes, salad, dessert, and beverage, and one responsible for extras such as buns, butter, relishes, etc. There'll be a serving committee and a clean-up committee, as well.

Picnics for four or five families are usually co-operative affairs. Each family may supply its own lunch, but more often each one provides one item in large enough quantities to serve the crowd. One family might provide the salad, one the meat, and still another family the dessert, which might be watermelon, a luscious chocolate cake, or a freezer full of old fashioned ice cream. With a little planning, the cost can be fairly equally distributed.

When an outing is in the offing and it's up to you to plan the menu for a crowd, you'll find these picnic pointers helpful.

1. If lunch is being prepared at home, choose foods that permit beforehand preparation, and that are not too difficult to carry or to serve.
2. Provide a fairly simple meal, with plenty of everything but not so much variety that it will cause confusion and lots of extra work.
3. Unless you are sure of a good water supply, it's better to carry the water from home.
4. Carry fruit juices, tomato juice or milk in thermos bottles.
5. The main dish for the picnic—which might be chili, baked beans, or escalloped potatoes, can be cooked the day before, then in the morning brought to the boiling point, and the dutch oven or casserole wrapped in several thicknesses of newspaper to retain the heat.
6. Don't overlook the possibilities in frozen foods for picnic use. Quick-frozen meats can be carried, without ice, even on a warm day. They thaw out on the way to the picnic ground and will be ready to use.

You'll find other picnic pointers in my cook book, "Easy Entertaining." There are menus and tested recipes for beach parties, hikes and a "Colorado beefsteak fry."

When you write to me, won't you tell me something about the "community meals" your group has served? Do you serve dinners for the church, for business men's organizations or for the farm bureau, perhaps? How many people do you serve at meals like this, and what are your favorite menus? I'll be waiting to hear from you!

Grandmother's Ginger Cookies.
(Makes about 8 dozen)

- 1 1/2 cups shortening
- 2 1/2 cups sugar
- 3 eggs (separated)
- 1 1/2 cups molasses
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon ginger
- 1 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1 teaspoon cloves
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 3 teaspoons soda
- 2 1/2 cups cold water
- 9 cups flour

Cream shortening and add sugar gradually, creaming until smooth. Beat egg yolks until light, and add to the creamed mixture, with the molasses, and spices, and salt. Dissolve soda in cold water, and add to

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the first mixture; blend well. Beat egg whites until stiff, and fold into batter. Add flour, and mix until smooth. Roll out to 1/4-inch thickness on a lightly floured board. Cut with 3 1/2-inch cookie cutter, and press a raisin into the center of each. Sprinkle with sugar. Bake on a greased cookie sheet in a moderately hot oven (400 degrees) for about 10 minutes.

Barbecue Sandwiches.

- (Filling for 3 to 4 dozen buns)
- 2 pounds beef
- 2 pounds pork
- 1 tablespoon chili powder
- 1 teaspoon white pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon red pepper
- 1 teaspoon dry mustard
- 1 1/2 tablespoons salt
- 1/2 cup flour
- 1 1/2 cups tomato puree or condensed tomato soup
- 1 1/2 quarts meat stock
- 3 large onions (sliced)

Cook the meat until tender in enough water to cover. Drain, and grind coarsely. Combine seasonings and flour. Add tomato puree and the meat stock, and cook for 5 minutes. Brown the onions lightly in butter or bacon fat, and add to the sauce with the coarsely ground meat. Serve hot on large, round buns.

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Red Corduroy

It's time to give thought to the inevitable early-fall jacket that is indispensable when cool breezes announce that autumn days are here. The pick of them all, in the estimation of fashionable college girls and their younger school-faring sisters is the jacket that is made of bright red corduroy. A grand two-tone for early fall days on the campus or for general wear when the tang of autumn calls for comfortable wraps is a jacket of stop-light red corduroy such as is pictured here, topped with a matching hat of the identical corduroy.

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7:30 Service omitted.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Sunday School at 10 o'clock.
Services Sunday morning at 10:45. "Mind" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, throughout the world, on Sunday Aug. 25.
Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

UNION CHAPEL, WEST BETHEL
Orrin A. Manifold, Minister
10:15 Sunday School.
11:00 Morning Worship. We are hoping to have Rev. Joseph D. Haviland and Rev. Robert Belger, both of New York City, as guest ministers participating in the service.

7:30 p. m. Children's Program at Gilead. The two churches are cooperating in the presentation of this program.
8:30 p. m. Young People's Meeting at Gilead. Leader: Mr. Manifold.

Tuesday night—Young People's Outing.

Thursday, Aug. 29. Old-Fashioned Program: "Fifty Years Ago." A program of music and readings, commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of our Ladies' Aid. Admission 10c and 20c.
Sunday, Sept. 1. Baptism; reception of members.

GILEAD CHURCH
O. A. Manifold, Minister
9:00 a. m. Sunday — Morning Worship. We are trying to get Rev. Joseph D. Haviland and Rev. Robert Belger, New York ministers vacationing at North Waterford, to participate in this service.
7:30 p. m. Children's Program. Our own children and those of West Bethel are cooperating in presenting this program.
8:30 p. m. West Bethel Young People will meet in our Church.
1:00 p. m. Wednesday. Church School.
Sunday, Sept. 1—Baptism; communion.

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BAKER-BENNETT

Miss Margaret Bennett and Wilfred Baker were united in marriage Saturday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Orrin Manifold of West Bethel. Only members of the immediate families were present.

Mrs. Baker is a graduate of Gould Academy in the class of 1939. Mr. Baker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Baker of Bethel and is employed at Bennett's Garage.

Following the ceremony the couple left on a short trip. For the present they will reside at the home of Mrs. Baker's parents.

BARKER FAMILY REUNION

A reunion of the sons and daughters of Amos and Betsy Jane Barker, with members of their families, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Mills in North Albany Sunday. Dinner and a social get-together were enjoyed. The event was arranged by Mrs. E. H. Smith of Bethel.

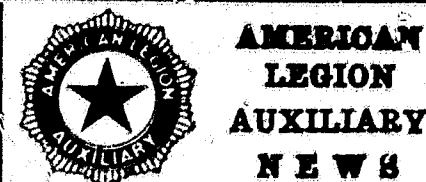
Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Mills of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Barker of Hopkinton, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. John Barker and granddaughter and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Barker, son and daughter, East Stoneham; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Skinner, Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Smith, Asa L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mills, Marie and Arthur Mills, Bethel.

FULLER-MERRILL

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merrill are announcing the marriage of their daughter Helen to Harold Fuller of Upton. The wedding took place at the home of Moses Davis Monday afternoon, Aug. 12. Mr. and Mrs. Fuller left for New York on their honeymoon Aug. 14. They will make their home in Upton where Mr. Fuller owns a store.

Richard Bryant, Albert Buck, Glendon McAllister and Gilbert LeClair are spending the week at Camp William Hinds at Raymond. Mr. and Mrs. Lindall Blanchard and children, Converse and Mary, were guests of Fred Merrill and Miss Harriet Merrill Friday and Saturday.

Miss Barbara Kendall of Medford, Mass., and Robert Ireland have been spending several days at the home of Mr. Ireland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood F. Ireland.



JACKSON-SILVER UNIT, No. 68

During the day and evening, Aug. 17, it was estimated that 400 attended the Field Day at West Paris sponsored by the Jackson-Silver Post and Unit and West Paris Alumni Association. Although the committee haven't the figures as yet, it is known to be a financial success. Beano was played late both Friday and Saturday evenings. A good crowd patronized the dance in the new gymnasium.

Saturday 160 were fed at the I. O. O. F. Hall during the noon hour, with President Mildred Cummings heading the committee.

The Auxiliary was badly beaten in the game of soft ball by the Alumni ladies. Ruth Dorlan received a bad finger injury while pitching that required the services of a physician. Bryant Pond took both baseball games in two well-fought battles.

The members needed to keep hustling all day at the various booths dispensing refreshments. After a fine band concert by the Pioneer Club Band, the numbers were drawn for the prizes. The radio was drawn by Mrs. Mabel Kirk, the camping kit by Herbert Mason, and the electric iron by Joe Vetkowsky, all of Locke Mills. Perfect weather prevailed and the members are grateful for the wonderful cooperation received from the Alumni and the public, who furnished food.

Department Vice President Fannie Cummings represented the Second District at the luncheon given by Mrs. Sumner Sewall Thursday at her summer cottage.

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The public is invited to attend the 6:30 supper Saturday evening, Aug. 21 at Town Hall. It is to be followed by the installation of the Junior Unit, with State President Mary I. Milliken of West Baldwin officiating, assisted by Vice President Fannie Cummings. Other State Officers expected are Dept. Commander Paul Julien of Waterville, Dept. Vice Commander Walter Guenther of Lisbon Center, and State Americanism Officer and Mrs. Richard Howell of Stonington. Junior Chairman Edith Littlefield has charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Mary Farnum will be hostess to the Post, Unit and their families at her home in Milton Sunday, Aug. 25, and will serve beans baked in the ground. The August Birthdays will assist Mrs. Farnum. Everybody will bring basket lunches and join for dinner about 1 p. m.

The Auxiliary will have their first District Meeting Sept. 2 at the Legion Rooms in Auburn from 4:30 sharp to 6 p. m., just prior to the big parade of the Tri-County meeting. The mileage prize will be given. State Membership Chairman Hilda Hatch of Pittsfield will be the speaker. Try to attend. Each Unit will report its 1941 memberships.

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Every indication fact that the 99 County Fair, held between Norway on Sept. 10-14, ing. President S er, Secretary S well as every m of directors, hav the country to attractions for event.

As has been th years, the officia ly turned the school children on Tuesday, the children will be the grounds and have been arran tertainment. In America's Day, also designated as 4-H Club Da leaders of this planning an int which will be p of the grandsta nine-dash racing for this big first.

Wednesday has in memory of C whose death oc Special exercises commemorate Mr associated with three-quarters of

Governor Barro vited to attend th day, as well as Scouts in the Sta gram is to be p Scouts under the trict Commissione munds, Friday at be known as Not Day and Oxford pectively.

The horse and events will bring - Contin

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. Harry E. el announces the her daughter, Vir to Merle Francis P Miss Bean is a Springfield, Vt., H the class of '37 ployed in Bethel. Mr. Perry gra from the Stephens Rumford and is o ager of the Fir t Mexico.

The wedding is this fall.

MITCHELL GOR
Miss Frances J daughter of Rev. Gordon of Bethel Mitchell, son of M Mitchell and the La ell of Kettay Pon Saturday afternoon Mr and Mrs C grandparents of Franklin.

Rev. M A Gordon, bride, performed th presence of the B.

Following the ce ments were served. turn from a wed will reside at Kite Mrs. Mitchell w East Corinth Acad Normal School and city, and for the she has taught in Dame School at E summers she has illor at Camp Mak

Mr. Mitchell reced tion at Trap Acad Bowdoin College at verally, and is now licher of the Kite is a writer of book and in the game bra Sports Afield